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## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 1, 2000, in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejection.

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